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## Notice to Mariners: Rocket Launch September 14

The NASA Wallops Flight Facility will conduct a test flight of a Lockheed-Martin hybrid sounding rocket schedule between 5:30 to 8 a.m., September 14. The backup launch days are September 15 and 16. The area in the Atlantic Ocean that poses a danger to mariners during the project is posted on the Boaters Launch Information page under the Wallops web site at [www.wff.nasa.gov](http://www.wff.nasa.gov). Boaters are asked to remain clear of this area during operations.

Wallops will fly an orange blimp at 400 feet altitude over Wallops Island beginning 30 minutes before the launch. The blimp will be lowered when the mission is completed and the danger to mariners no longer exists. In addition, boaters may tune to Marine Channel 12 to monitor the operations.

Mission updates and completion will be noted on the Wallops launch status line at 757-824-2050.

Thank you for your assistance and support.

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